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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT



SPONSOR: Knauer DATE TYPED: 02/05/02 HB HJM 85

SHORT TITLE: "Workforce Development Day" SB _____

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APPROPRIATION

Appropriation Contained		Estimated Additional Impact		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY02	FY03	FY02	FY03		
		NFI			

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Labor Department (LD)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Joint Memorial 85 recognizes the contributions of the Northern Area Local Workforce Development Board, all Local Workforce Development Board members, Youth Council members and all partnering state agencies. The joint memorial also designates February 7 as "Workforce Development Day" at the Legislature.

Significant Issues

The Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (WIA) was a Congressional initiative to reform the workforce development system throughout the country, replacing the Job Training Partnership Act of 1982 (JTPA). WIA focuses on streamlining services through a One-Stop Center system, where services are provided to both employees and the employers. In addition, WIA provides for greater local control with Local Workforce Development Boards and Local Chief Elected Officials. New Mexico has four local workforce development boards and youth councils.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There is no appropriation or significant fiscal implication associated with this joint memorial.

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